



Education Work Group Report May 11, 2015

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The Education Work Group met on April 7 and May 5 and is working on the following projects:

1. Reinvest Maryland

The Education Work Group has begun to reach out to organizations with existing, relevant educational programs to discuss possibilities for joint development and/or promotion of courses, and to invite them to participate in the development of an overall Reinvest Maryland educational strategy or specific course material.

2. Sustainable Growth Challenge

The 2016 SGC will focus on topics related to Reinvest Maryland.

The Work Group sent a survey to the participants in the 2015 SGC and will have the results from the survey by May 11, 2015.

The Work Group is preparing a flyer and a frequently asked questions document for use in recruiting participants.

The proposed calendar of events is:

1. Summer 2015 – Outreach to professors (through normal channels, as well as more targeted, personal outreach)
2. September 2015 – Deadline for commitments to participate in the challenge
3. October – November 2015 – Work Group members visit classes to discuss Reinvest Maryland and provide early feedback on proposed projects
4. December 2015 – Deadline for submissions
5. December 2015 – Review of submissions and invitations to present
6. January 2016 – Presentations to panel
7. February 2016 – Awards ceremony